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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the creation of the medical cannabis Act and
2 providing for criminal penalties and fees.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 124.401, subsection 5, unnumbered
2 paragraph 3, Code 2016, is amended to read as follows:

3 A person may knowingly or intentionally recommend, possess,
4 use, dispense, deliver, transport, or administer ~~cannabidiol~~
5 cannabis if the recommendation, possession, use, dispensing,
6 delivery, transporting, or administering is in accordance with
7 the provisions of chapter 124D 124E. For purposes of this
8 paragraph, ~~"cannabidiol"~~ "cannabis" means the same as defined in
9 section ~~124D.2~~ 124E.3.

10 Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. 124E.1 Short title.

11 This chapter shall be known and may be cited as the "*Medical*
12 *Cannabis Act*".

13 Sec. 3. NEW SECTION. 124E.2 Purpose.

14 The purpose of this chapter is to allow for the medical use
15 of cannabis in a regulated program for alleviating symptoms
16 caused by debilitating medical conditions and the medical
17 treatments for such conditions.

18 Sec. 4. NEW SECTION. 124E.3 Definitions.

19 As used in this chapter:

20 1. "*Adequate supply*" means an amount of cannabis, in any
21 form approved by the department, possessed by a qualified
22 patient or collectively possessed by a qualified patient and
23 the qualified patient's primary caregiver that is determined
24 by department rule to be no more than reasonably necessary to
25 ensure the uninterrupted availability of cannabis for a period
26 of three months and that is derived solely from an intrastate
27 source.

28 2. "*Cannabis*" means all parts of the plants of the genus
29 cannabis, whether growing or not; the seeds thereof; the resin
30 extracted from any part of the plant; and every compound,
31 manufacture, salt, derivative, mixture, or preparation of the
32 plant, its seeds, or resin, including tetrahydrocannabinols.
33 "*Cannabis*" does not include the mature stalks of the plant;
34 fiber produced from the stalks; oil or cake made from the
35 seeds of the plant; any other compound, manufacture, salt,

1 derivative, mixture, or preparation of the mature stalks,
2 except the resin extracted therefrom; fiber; or oil or cake
3 or the sterilized seed of the plant which is incapable of
4 germination.

5 3. "*Debilitating medical condition*" means any of the
6 following:

- 7 a. Cancer.
- 8 b. Glaucoma.
- 9 c. Multiple sclerosis.
- 10 d. Epilepsy.
- 11 e. AIDS or HIV as defined in section 141A.1.
- 12 f. Spinal cord damage with intractable spasticity.
- 13 g. Any other medical condition, medical treatment, or
14 disease approved by the department.

15 4. "*Department*" means the department of public health.

16 5. "*Licensed producer*" means any qualified patient, primary
17 caregiver, or nonprofit private entity within this state that
18 the department determines to be qualified to process, produce,
19 possess, manufacture, distribute, dispense, deliver, and
20 transport cannabis in this state pursuant to this chapter and
21 that is licensed by the department. A qualified patient or
22 primary caregiver licensed as a producer shall produce no more
23 than an adequate supply of cannabis for the qualified patient's
24 personal use only.

25 6. "*Medical use of cannabis*" means the acquisition,
26 possession, cultivation, manufacture, use, delivery, transfer,
27 or transportation of cannabis or paraphernalia related to the
28 administration of cannabis to treat or alleviate a registered
29 qualified patient's debilitating medical condition or symptoms
30 associated with the patient's debilitating medical condition.

31 7. "*Practitioner*" means a person licensed in this state to
32 prescribe and administer a controlled substance regulated under
33 chapter 124.

34 8. a. "*Primary caregiver*" means a resident of this state,
35 at least eighteen years of age, who has been designated by

1 the qualified patient's practitioner or a person having legal
2 custody of the qualified patient, as being necessary to take
3 responsibility for managing the well-being of a qualified
4 patient with respect to the medical use of cannabis pursuant
5 to the provisions of this chapter. A qualified patient may
6 designate one or more primary caregivers.

7 *b. "Primary caregiver"* includes an employee of a hospice
8 program, if the employee meets the definition of a primary
9 caregiver under paragraph *"a"*.

10 9. *"Program"* means the medical use of cannabis program
11 established and administered by the department pursuant to
12 rule.

13 10. *"Qualified patient"* means a resident of this state who
14 has been diagnosed by a practitioner as having a debilitating
15 medical condition and who has received written certification
16 and been issued a registry identification card pursuant to this
17 chapter.

18 11. *"Registry identification card"* means a document issued
19 by the department that identifies a person as a registered
20 qualified patient or registered primary caregiver.

21 12. *"Written certification"* means a statement signed by a
22 qualified patient's practitioner that, in the practitioner's
23 professional opinion, the patient has a debilitating medical
24 condition and the practitioner believes that the potential
25 health benefits of the medical use of cannabis would likely
26 outweigh the health risks for the qualified patient. A written
27 certification shall expire at the end of one year from the date
28 of issuance.

29 Sec. 5. NEW SECTION. 124E.4 Medical use of cannabis —
30 exemption from criminal and civil penalties.

31 1. A qualified patient who has been issued and who possesses
32 a registry identification card shall not be subject to arrest
33 or prosecution, civil or criminal penalty, or the denial of
34 any right or privilege for the medical use of cannabis if the
35 quantity of cannabis does not exceed an adequate supply.

1 2. A qualified patient's primary caregiver shall not be
2 subject to arrest or prosecution, civil or criminal penalty,
3 or the denial of any right or privilege for the medical use of
4 cannabis on behalf of the qualified patient, if the quantity of
5 cannabis does not exceed an adequate supply.

6 3. Subsection 1 does not apply to a qualified patient under
7 the age of eighteen years unless all of the following apply:

8 a. The qualified patient's practitioner has explained the
9 potential risks and benefits of the medical use of cannabis
10 to the qualified patient and to a parent, guardian, or person
11 having legal custody of the qualified patient.

12 b. A parent, guardian, or person having legal custody agrees
13 in writing to do all of the following:

14 (1) Allow the qualified patient's medical use of cannabis.

15 (2) Serve as the qualified patient's primary caregiver.

16 (3) Control the dosage and the frequency of the medical use
17 of cannabis by the qualified patient.

18 (4) Designate one or more primary caregivers for the
19 qualified patient.

20 4. A qualified patient or a primary caregiver shall be
21 granted the full legal protections provided in this section if
22 the qualified patient or primary caregiver is in possession
23 of a registry identification card. If a qualified patient or
24 primary caregiver is arrested and is not in possession of the
25 person's registry identification card, any charge or charges
26 filed against the person shall be dismissed by the court if the
27 person produces to the clerk of the district court, prior to
28 the initial court date, a registry identification card issued
29 to that person and valid at the time of the person's arrest.

30 5. A practitioner shall not be subject to arrest or
31 prosecution, civil or criminal penalty, or the denial of any
32 right or privilege for recommending the medical use of cannabis
33 or for providing a written certification for the medical use of
34 cannabis pursuant to this chapter.

35 6. A licensed producer shall not be subject to arrest

1 or prosecution, civil or criminal penalty, or the denial
2 of any right or privilege, for the processing, production,
3 possession, manufacture, distribution, dispensing, delivery, or
4 transporting of cannabis pursuant to this chapter.

5 7. Any property interest that is possessed, owned, or
6 used in connection with the medical use of cannabis, or acts
7 incidental to such use, and any property seized shall be
8 treated in accordance with the provisions of chapters 808, 809,
9 and 809A. Any such property seized is subject to forfeiture
10 as provided by chapter 809 or 809A. Cannabis, paraphernalia,
11 or other property seized from a qualified patient or primary
12 caregiver in connection with the claimed medical use of
13 cannabis shall be returned immediately upon the determination
14 by a court that the qualified patient or primary caregiver is
15 entitled to the protections of the provisions of this chapter,
16 as may be evidenced by a failure to actively investigate the
17 case, a decision not to prosecute, the dismissal of charges,
18 or acquittal.

19 8. A person shall not be subject to arrest or prosecution,
20 civil or criminal penalty, or the denial of any right or
21 privilege for a cannabis-related offense simply for being in
22 the presence of the medical use of cannabis as permitted under
23 the provisions of this chapter.

24 Sec. 6. NEW SECTION. 124E.5 Prohibitions, restrictions, and
25 limitations on the medical use of cannabis — criminal penalties.

26 1. Participation in a medical use of cannabis program
27 by a qualified patient or primary caregiver does not relieve
28 the qualified patient or primary caregiver from any of the
29 following:

30 a. Criminal prosecution or civil penalties for activities
31 not authorized under this chapter.

32 b. Criminal prosecution or liability for damages arising
33 out of the operation of a vehicle while under the influence of
34 cannabis.

35 c. Criminal prosecution or civil penalties for possession or

1 use of cannabis in any of the following places:

2 (1) In a school bus or public vehicle.

3 (2) On the grounds of any public or private preschool or
4 elementary or secondary school.

5 (3) In the workplace of the qualified patient's or primary
6 caregiver's employment.

7 (4) At a public park, recreation center, youth center, or
8 other public place.

9 2. A qualified patient or primary caregiver who makes
10 a fraudulent representation to a law enforcement officer
11 about the person's medical use of cannabis to avoid arrest
12 or prosecution for a cannabis-related offense is guilty of a
13 simple misdemeanor.

14 3. A licensed producer who does any of the following shall
15 be subject to arrest, prosecution, and civil or criminal
16 penalties under state or federal law:

17 a. Sells, distributes, dispenses, delivers, or transfers
18 cannabis to a person not approved by the department pursuant to
19 this chapter.

20 b. Obtains, transports, or delivers cannabis outside this
21 state in violation of federal law.

22 Sec. 7. NEW SECTION. 124E.6 Medical cannabis advisory board
23 — duties.

24 1. No later than August 15, 2016, the director of public
25 health shall establish a medical cannabis advisory board
26 consisting of eight practitioners representing the fields of
27 neurology, pain management, medical oncology, psychiatry,
28 infectious disease, family medicine, and gynecology. The
29 practitioners shall be nationally board-certified in their
30 area of specialty and knowledgeable about the medical use of
31 cannabis.

32 2. Advisory board members shall be chosen for appointment by
33 the director from a list proposed by the Iowa medical society.

34 3. A quorum of the advisory board shall consist of five
35 members.

1 4. The advisory board shall have the following duties:

2 *a.* Review and recommend to the department for approval
3 additional debilitating medical conditions for persons who
4 would benefit from the medical use of cannabis.

5 *b.* Accept and review petitions to add medical conditions,
6 medical treatments, or diseases to the list of debilitating
7 medical conditions that qualify for the medical use of
8 cannabis.

9 *c.* Convene at least twice per year to conduct public
10 hearings and to evaluate petitions, which shall be maintained
11 as confidential personal health information, to add medical
12 conditions, medical treatments, or diseases to the list of
13 debilitating medical conditions that qualify for the medical
14 use of cannabis.

15 *d.* Issue recommendations concerning rules to be adopted for
16 the issuance of registry identification cards.

17 *e.* Recommend quantities of cannabis that are necessary
18 to constitute an adequate supply for qualified patients and
19 primary caregivers.

20 *f.* Review actions of the department in approving or denying
21 registry identification card applications to ensure such
22 approvals and denials are issued pursuant to the requirements
23 of section 124E.8. In reviewing such actions, the advisory
24 board shall be subject to the same confidentiality restrictions
25 imposed on the department pursuant to section 124E.7,
26 subsection 2, paragraph "a".

27 **Sec. 8. NEW SECTION. 124E.7 Department rules and duties.**

28 1. No later than October 1, 2016, and after consultation
29 with the medical cannabis advisory board, the department shall
30 adopt rules pursuant to chapter 17A to establish and implement
31 a medical use of cannabis program consistent with the purposes
32 of this chapter. The department may adopt emergency rules
33 pursuant to chapter 17A to implement this section and the rules
34 shall be effective immediately upon filing unless a later date
35 is specified in the rules. The rules shall do all of the

1 following:

2 *a.* Govern the manner in which the department shall consider
3 applications for new and renewal registry identification cards
4 and for qualified patients and primary caregivers.

5 *b.* Define the amount of cannabis that constitutes an
6 adequate supply, including amounts for topical treatments.

7 *c.* Identify criteria and set forth procedures for including
8 additional medical conditions, medical treatments, or diseases
9 on the list of debilitating medical conditions that qualify
10 for the medical use of cannabis. Procedures shall include a
11 petition process and shall allow for public comment and public
12 hearings before the advisory board.

13 *d.* Set forth additional medical conditions, medical
14 treatments, or diseases for inclusion on the list of
15 debilitating medical conditions that qualify for the medical
16 use of cannabis as recommended by the advisory board.

17 *e.* Establish requirements for the licensure of producers and
18 set forth procedures to obtain licenses.

19 *f.* Develop a distribution system for cannabis within
20 this state under this chapter that provides for all of the
21 following:

22 (1) Cannabis production facilities within this state housed
23 on secured grounds and operated by licensed producers.

24 (2) The distribution of cannabis to qualified patients
25 and their primary caregivers under this chapter at locations
26 designated by the department.

27 *g.* Establish application and renewal fees that generate
28 revenues sufficient to offset all expenses of implementing and
29 administering this chapter.

30 *h.* Specify and implement procedures that address public
31 safety including security procedures and product quality,
32 safety, and labeling.

33 2. The department shall do all of the following:

34 *a.* Maintain a confidential file containing the names
35 and addresses of the persons who have either applied for or

1 received a registry identification card. Individual names
2 contained in the file shall be confidential and shall not be
3 subject to disclosure, except as provided in subparagraph (1).

4 (1) Information in the confidential file maintained
5 pursuant to this paragraph "a" may be released to the following
6 persons under the following circumstances:

7 (a) To authorized employees or agents of the department as
8 necessary to perform the duties of the department pursuant to
9 this chapter.

10 (b) To authorized employees of state or local law
11 enforcement agencies, but only for the purpose of verifying
12 that a person is lawfully in possession of a registry
13 identification card issued pursuant to this chapter.

14 (2) Release of information pursuant to subparagraph
15 (1) shall be consistent with the federal Health Insurance
16 Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, Pub. L. No.
17 104-191.

18 b. Submit an annual report to the general assembly by
19 January 15 of each year that does not disclose any identifying
20 information about registry identification cardholders or
21 practitioners, but does contain, at a minimum, all of the
22 following information:

23 (1) The number of applications and renewal applications
24 submitted for registry identification cards.

25 (2) The number of registered qualified patients and
26 registered primary caregivers in each county.

27 (3) The nature of the debilitating medical conditions of the
28 qualified patients.

29 (4) The number of registry identification cards revoked.

30 (5) The number of practitioners providing written
31 certifications for qualified patients.

32 (6) The sufficiency of the overall supply of cannabis
33 available to qualified patients statewide.

34 **Sec. 9. NEW SECTION. 124E.8 Registry identification cards.**

35 1. The department shall issue a registry identification

1 card to a qualified patient and to any primary caregiver for
2 the qualified patient, if the qualified patient and primary
3 caregiver submit all of the following in an application to the
4 department, in accordance with the department's rules:

5 *a.* A written certification.

6 *b.* The name, address, and date of birth of the qualified
7 patient.

8 *c.* The name, address, and telephone number of the qualified
9 patient's practitioner.

10 *d.* The name, address, and date of birth of any primary
11 caregiver for the qualified patient.

12 2. *a.* The department shall verify the information contained
13 in an application submitted pursuant to subsection 1 and
14 shall approve or deny an application within thirty days of
15 receipt. The department may deny an application only if the
16 applicant did not provide the information required pursuant
17 to subsection 1 or if the department determines that the
18 information provided was falsified. A person whose application
19 has been denied shall not be allowed to reapply for a registry
20 identification card for six months from the date of the denial
21 unless otherwise authorized by the department.

22 *b.* The department's approval or denial of an application
23 under this section shall be subject to review by the medical
24 cannabis advisory board.

25 3. The department shall issue a registry identification
26 card within thirty days of receiving an application or a
27 renewal application. The card shall expire one year after the
28 date of issuance.

29 4. A registry identification card shall contain all of the
30 following:

31 *a.* The name, address, and date of birth of the qualified
32 patient and of any primary caregiver.

33 *b.* The date of issuance and expiration date of the registry
34 identification card.

35 *c.* Any other information that the department may require by

1 rule.

2 5. The department shall issue a registry identification
3 card to any primary caregiver named in the qualified patient's
4 approved application or renewal application provided the
5 primary caregiver meets the definitional requirements of
6 section 124E.3, subsection 8.

7 6. A qualified patient or primary caregiver who possesses
8 a registry identification card shall notify the department of
9 any change in the person's name or address, qualified patient's
10 practitioner, or qualified patient's primary caregiver, or
11 any change in status of the qualified patient's debilitating
12 medical condition within ten days of the change.

13 7. Possession of or application for a registry
14 identification card shall not constitute probable cause or
15 give rise to reasonable suspicion for a governmental agency
16 to search the person or property of the person possessing or
17 applying for the card.

18 Sec. 10. REPEAL. Chapter 124D, Code 2016, is repealed.

19 Sec. 11. EMERGENCY RULES. The department may adopt
20 emergency rules under section 17A.4, subsection 3, and section
21 17A.5, subsection 2, paragraph "b", to implement the provisions
22 of this Act and the rules shall be effective immediately upon
23 filing unless a later date is specified in the rules. Any
24 rules adopted in accordance with this section shall also be
25 published as a notice of intended action as provided in section
26 17A.4.

27 Sec. 12. TRANSITION PROVISIONS. A medical cannabis
28 registration card issued under chapter 124D prior to July 1,
29 2016, remains effective and continues in effect as issued for
30 the twelve-month period following its issuance. This Act does
31 not preclude the permit holder from seeking to renew the permit
32 under this Act prior to the expiration of the twelve-month
33 period.

34 EXPLANATION

35 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with

1 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

2 This bill creates the medical cannabis Act and provides for
3 criminal penalties and fees.

4 The bill amends Code section 124.401, relating to prohibited
5 acts involving controlled substances, to provide that it is
6 lawful for a person to knowingly or intentionally recommend,
7 possess, use, dispense, deliver, transport, or administer
8 medical cannabis if the recommendation, possession, use,
9 dispensing, delivery, transporting, or administering is in
10 accordance with the provisions of the bill.

11 The bill establishes new Code chapter 124E, the medical
12 cannabis Act, to allow for the medical use of cannabis for
13 alleviating symptoms caused by debilitating medical conditions
14 and their medical treatments. The bill defines "medical use
15 of cannabis" to mean the acquisition, possession, cultivation,
16 manufacture, use, delivery, transfer, or transportation of
17 cannabis or related paraphernalia to treat or alleviate a
18 registered qualified patient's debilitating medical condition
19 as defined in the bill. The bill defines "cannabis" to mean
20 all parts of the plants of the genus cannabis, whether growing
21 or not; the seeds thereof; the resin extracted from any part of
22 the plant; and every compound, manufacture, salt, derivative,
23 mixture, or preparation of the plant, its seeds, or resin,
24 including tetrahydrocannabinols. It does not include the
25 mature stalks of the plant; fiber produced from the stalks; oil
26 or cake made from the seeds of the plant; any other compound,
27 manufacture, salt, derivative, mixture, or preparation of the
28 mature stalks, except the resin extracted therefrom; fiber;
29 or oil or cake or the sterilized seed of the plant which is
30 incapable of germination (see also Code section 124.101(19)).

31 The bill provides that a qualified patient who has been
32 issued and who possesses a registry identification card issued
33 by the Iowa department of public health shall not be subject to
34 arrest or prosecution, civil or criminal penalty, or the denial
35 of any right or privilege for the medical use of cannabis if

1 the quantity of cannabis does not exceed an adequate supply.
2 The bill also provides the same immunity for a qualified
3 patient's primary caregiver and for a licensed producer.

4 The bill defines a qualified patient as a resident of this
5 state who has been diagnosed by a practitioner as having a
6 debilitating medical condition as specified in the bill and
7 who has received written certification by a practitioner and
8 has been issued a registry identification card pursuant to the
9 new Code chapter. A qualified patient may designate one or
10 more primary caregivers. A primary caregiver is defined as a
11 resident of this state, at least 18 years old, who has been
12 designated by the patient's practitioner or a person having
13 legal custody of the qualified patient as being necessary to
14 take responsibility for managing the well-being of a qualified
15 patient with respect to the medical use of cannabis pursuant
16 to the provisions of the bill. "Licensed producer" is defined
17 as any qualified patient, primary caregiver, or nonprofit
18 private entity within this state that the department of public
19 health determines to be qualified to process, produce, possess,
20 manufacture, distribute, dispense, deliver, and transport
21 cannabis in this state under the bill. A qualified patient or
22 primary caregiver licensed as a producer shall produce no more
23 than an adequate supply of cannabis for the patient's personal
24 use only. "Practitioner" is defined as a person licensed in
25 this state to prescribe and administer a controlled substance
26 regulated under Code chapter 124.

27 The bill provides that participation in the medical use of
28 cannabis program by a qualified patient or primary caregiver
29 does not relieve the qualified patient or primary caregiver
30 from prosecution or civil penalties for activities not
31 authorized under the bill, liability for damages or criminal
32 prosecution arising out of the operation of a vehicle while
33 under the influence of cannabis, or other criminal prosecution
34 or civil penalties for possession or use of cannabis in certain
35 situations. A qualified patient or primary caregiver who

1 makes a fraudulent representation to a law enforcement officer
2 about the person's medical use of cannabis to avoid arrest
3 or prosecution for a cannabis-related offense is guilty of a
4 simple misdemeanor.

5 The bill directs the department of public health to
6 establish a medical cannabis advisory board no later
7 than August 15, 2016, consisting of eight practitioners
8 representing the fields of neurology, pain management, medical
9 oncology, psychiatry, infectious disease, family medicine,
10 and gynecology. The practitioners shall be nationally
11 board-certified in their area of specialty and knowledgeable
12 about the medical use of cannabis and appointed by the
13 director of public health from a list proposed by the Iowa
14 medical society. The advisory board is required to review
15 and recommend to the department for approval additional
16 debilitating medical conditions for persons who would benefit
17 from the medical use of cannabis, accept and review petitions
18 to add medical conditions, medical treatments, or diseases
19 to the list of debilitating medical conditions that qualify
20 for the medical use of cannabis, meet at least twice per year
21 to conduct public hearings and to evaluate petitions to add
22 medical conditions, medical treatments, or diseases to the
23 list of debilitating medical conditions that qualify for the
24 medical use of cannabis, issue recommendations concerning rules
25 to be adopted for the issuance of registry identification
26 cards, recommend quantities of cannabis that are necessary
27 to constitute an adequate supply for qualified patients and
28 primary caregivers, and review actions of the department in
29 approving or denying registry identification card applications.

30 The department is required to adopt rules pursuant to
31 Code chapter 17A to establish and implement a medical use of
32 cannabis program consistent with the purpose of the bill no
33 later than October 1, 2016. The department is authorized to
34 adopt emergency rules pursuant to Code chapter 17A. The rules
35 shall relate to applications for new and renewal registry

1 identification cards and for qualified patients and primary
2 caregivers, the amount of cannabis that constitutes an adequate
3 supply for purposes of the bill, including amounts for topical
4 treatments, criteria and procedures for including additional
5 medical conditions, medical treatments, or diseases as
6 debilitating medical conditions that qualify for the medical
7 use of cannabis, requirements for the licensure of producers,
8 the development of a distribution system for medical cannabis
9 within this state, the establishment of application and renewal
10 fees that generate revenues sufficient to offset all expenses
11 of implementing and administering the new Code chapter, and
12 specify and implement procedures that address public safety
13 including security procedures and product quality, safety,
14 and labeling. The department is to maintain confidential
15 information collected pursuant to the bill and provide for the
16 release of certain information to certain persons under certain
17 confidentiality guidelines and to submit an annual report to
18 the general assembly by January 15 of each year.

19 The department is also required to issue a registry
20 identification card to a qualified patient and any primary
21 caregiver named in the qualified patient's application, if the
22 qualified patient and each primary caregiver submit certain
23 information in an application to the department. The bill
24 provides that possession of or application for a registry
25 identification card shall not constitute probable cause or
26 give rise to reasonable suspicion for a governmental agency
27 to search the person or property of the person possessing or
28 applying for the card.

29 The bill provides that the department may adopt emergency
30 rules and the rules shall be effective immediately upon filing
31 unless a later date is specified in the rules.

32 The bill provides that a medical cannabis registration card
33 issued under Code chapter 124D (medical cannabidiol Act) prior
34 to July 1, 2015, shall remain effective and continues in effect
35 as issued for the 12-month period following its issuance.

1 The bill repeals Code chapter 124D, the medical cannabidiol
2 Act.